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APPLICATION SERIAL NO.

09/600,434

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TITLE: MACHINE FOR PACKAGING A
PLURALITY OF ARTICLES IN A
CARTON, AND METHOD OF
FORMING A CARTON

) EXAMINER:

) Paradiso, John Rodger

) GROUP ART UNIT: 3721

) CONFIRMATION NO.: 4851

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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

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In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 8, 2003, please amend the
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Claims Listing which begins on page 2 of this
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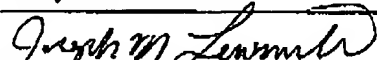
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